# Ever wonder why DWI is illegal?





Alcohol related crashes are the # 1 cause of deaths among Americans between 18 & 30



If at a home party, ask to spend the night

#### MYTHS

- "I don't have far to go"
- "I don't feel any effects"
- "I'm more alert after a few drinks"
- "Coffee will sober me up"
- "I just need some fresh air"
- "I'll drive slowly and carefully"
- "I've only been drinking beer"



Take a taxi instead



Don't give in to peer pressure



Only TIME will sober you up

### The Drunk Driver is not the only one at risk....We all are. How to Spot a Drunk Driver

#### A driver under the influence of alcohol may:

- Drive with the window rolled down in the cold
- Weave, hit curbs or other objects near the road
- Pass dangerously close to other cars
- Forget to use headlights
- Make wide turns
- Tailgate



Notify police of any suspicious drivers

#### Tips for Hosts and Hostesses

- Don't make drinking the main focus
- Provide food when alcohol is served
- Don't push drinks
- Know that drunkenness is neither healthy, safe or amusing
- Assume responsibility for your guests
- Insure designated drivers don't drink



Use a designated driver, or one will be appointed to you



#### DON'T DRINK AND DRIVE

## Do you still wonder why drinking and driving is against the law?